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BLANKS of all kinds, hand-
somely printed on good paper, for
Sale as above.
Newport, August 30.

Improved School Geogra-
phy, and Arithmetic,

MORSE's new and Improved
School GEOGRAPHY, with
Atlas. Also, Staniford's Arithmetic,
including a new and approved system of
Book-Keeping, by single and double en-
try, adapted for use in the United States
—For Sale, by
JAMES HAMMOND.
Newport, Sept. 20.

William Crooke,
Has just received and for Sale, at his
Store in Thames-Street,
175,000 best Alexan-
dria SEGARS, in Cases of 5000, and
Boxes of 1000 each.
Newport, Oct. 18.

SINGING SCHOOL

THE Subscriber respectfully informs
the Ladies and Gentlemen of
Newport, that he intends opening a
SCHOOL for the instruction of Sacred
Music, as soon as a sufficient number
of Subscribers is obtained.—Subscrip-
tions will be received at the Stores of
Messrs. Hammond, Newton, and Ses-
sions.

S. L. POMROY.
Newport, Oct. 4.
The School will commence
on Tuesday evening, Oct. 14

Pure sperm Oil, at 45 cts.

THE Subscribers offer for Sale, at
the stores of their Agents, *Freder-
ick Coggeshall and Henry Gardner,* in
Thames-Street, the first quality of sum-
mer strained sperm OIL, at 45 cents
per gallon, in any quantity from a half
dozen to 1000 gallons.

**R. POTTER,
N. RUGGLES.**
Newport, Oct. 4.

FOR SALE,

A FARM lying in Woodstock, (Con-
necticut) containing two Hundred Acres
of excellent Land, with a new two-story
dwelling-House 30 by 40 feet, com-
pletely finished and painted; another
dwelling-House suitable for a tenant;
two saw barns and other out buildings;
a cider mill and a good orchard that will
make 100 bbls of Cider annually.—It is
well wooded and watered, and will keep
a head of cattle the year round; it is
fenced by rods of saw and g.ist mill,
and clothiers works, and conveniently
situated near a Meeting and school.
—Terms of payment made easy
to the purchaser. For further particu-
lars enquire of the subscriber living on
the premises.
HENRY HOWARD.
Woodstock, (Conn.) Oct. 30.

New Goods.

JOHN F. TOWNSEND,
Has just received from Boston,
SUPERFINE
Blue and black
Saddles
Olive brown and
mixed dyes
Blue, black and
fashionable mix'd
milled Cassimere
Felted Cloths, a
great variety
Fine drab and
brown Castings
Superior Scotch
Plaids for Men's
Cloaks
Flannels, Bookings
Blankets of all
sizes
White double fold
milled Flannels

A. L. S. O.
One case superior **LEGHORNS**
The above Goods were bought low
and will be sold good bargains to the
purchaser.
Newport, Oct. 15.

**MORE
New Goods.**

JOHN B. NEWTON,
Has Just Received,
400 Yards Satinets;
1000 Yards unbleached Shirtings, full
yard wide, at 1s per yard; 1000 do.
Shirtings, bleached and unbleached,
for 12 1-2 cts.; 80 Pieces of Russia
Diaper, of an excellent quality, at 3
dollars a piece; 40 Pieces of dark
Prints, for the season; black and col-
ored twilled and plain Bombazetts;
red, white, yellow, black and green
Flannels; blue Pelise Cloths; a very
large Assortment of Broadcloths and
Cassimeres.
Newport, Oct. 25.

Etna Insurance Company
Incorporated for the purpose of Insuring
against **LOSS or DAMAGE** by
FIRE, with a Capital of \$150,000,
and the liberty of increasing the same
to the sum of \$500,000.

THE Company having recently in-
creased their Capital \$50,000 to
now 200,000 Dollars, with a further sum
or surplus fund of 30,000 dollars, ap-
propriated exclusively for the purpose
of payment of losses. The whole of
the funds of the Company are in the
most secure and best possible situation,
and may, within a few days notice, be
converted into ready cash. The propo-
sals for Insurance of this Company,
are believed to be as favorable as the
nature of the business will admit. It is
also thought worthy of consideration,
that the business of the Company is con-
fined principally to risks in the country,
and therefore necessarily so situated and
detached, that the capital is not exposed
to a great loss by a sweeping fire.
Hartford, (Conn.) Sept. 2.

Application for Insurance may
be made in Providence, to **STEPHEN
TILLINGHAST**, who is authorized to
issue Policies without the delay attend-
ant on a reference to the Company in
Hartford.
Oct. 22, 1823.

FOR SALE,

I WISH to Sell, or Lease
to an approved Tenant,
the House and Lot at the cor-
ner of Spring and Mary Streets, former-
ly the property of Mr. George Sears—
Possession may be had immediately.
CHRISTOPHER FRY.
Newport, Sept. 19.

FOR SALE, or TO LET,

THAT pleasantly situat-
ed and well finished House
Broad-Street, formerly own-
ed by David Williams.—For terms, ap-
ply to
STEPHEN GOULD.
Newport, 8th of 10th mo.

New Goods.

WM. J. TILLEY.
119
THAMES-STREET,
Has Just Opened,

A Complete Assortment of **PE-
LISE CLOTHS**, for Ladies
Great Coats; and having a great quan-
tity on hand, he will sell them lower on
that account.—He has also opened,
Drab Pelise Cloths, from 6s to 24s per
yard, for gentlemen's and boys' Great
Coats.—Also, Flashes for trimmings
and Ladies Hats, and a few black os-
trich plumes, very cheap.—Likewise,
A complete Assortment of Goods, suit-
able for the Season, and where those
who wish good Goods, for a little mo-
ney, will do well to call and examine,
before they buy.
On hand, Four Pieces of Kidder-
minster Carpeting, which to close the
sale, he will sell them at cost.
Newport, Oct. 18.

ROBERT P. LEE
Has just received,

A N Extensive Assortment of **FALL
AND WINTER GOODS**, of the
very latest Importation—bought within
the last Week at the New-York Au-
ctions for Cash; which he is enabled to
offer at very low prices.—Purchasers
may find it an object to give him a call
before they buy.
Newport, Oct. 4.

FALL SUPPLY,
S. M. CAROONE.

DRY-GOODS
110
THAMES-STREET,
Has this day received.
His Fall Supply of GOODS,
comprising an extensive As-
sortment as can be found at any Store
in Town, which he offers for Sale as
cheap as can be bought at any store in
the State.
Purchasers will do well to call
and look, as the assortment is too great
for an advertisement.
Newport, Oct. 11.

Burdick & Hutchens,
No. 124, Thames-Street, under
the Custom-House,
respectfully informs the Ladies of
Newport, and its Vicinity,

THAT they have now
on hand, a complete
Assortment of Walking
SHOES, which in regard
to workmanship and ma-
terials, as superior to any
ever before offered for sale
in this Town, and will sell
them at a very low price
All other kinds of Ladies
Shoes proportionably cheap.—A word to
the wise is sufficient.
Measures taken as usual for all kinds
of Ladies Boots and Shoes, and execu-
ted with neatness and despatch.
Newport, Oct. 11.

Sacred Vocal Musick.

**RICHARD SHAW'S
SINGING-SCHOOL,**

FOR acting in Sacred Vocal
Musick, will commence on Fri-
day Evening, Oct. 31st.—Those La-
dies and Gentlemen who wish to fa-
vor him with their attendance and have not
yet handed in their names, are request-
ed to leave them soon, as no new ap-
plication will be received after the first
month.
Newport, Oct. 10.

2200 Cotton BALLS,

AT
Long-Room
112 & 115
THAMES-STREET.

N SWEET, & CO.
Have just received from Boston
and New-York Auctions,
A Large Supply of Real **CHEAP**
Goods, as ever was offered in this
Town.—Among which are, a Lot of
Linen Diaper for only 10 cents a yard;
India Gaze for 9d; handsome good India
Hdkfs for only 9d; 300 yards Calicoes
and Gingham for only 1s per yard;
Cotton Shirting for only 1s 10 cents; 6-4
Book-Muslins for 2s cents; Ladies
book-muslin Ruffs for 9d each; elegant
Floor Carpeting, cheap; 2300 Cotton
Balls, from 1 cent to 6 cents each ball,
strong good English cotton; Ladies
Pelise Cloths; Queen's Cloths and
Cassimeres, for Ladies Coats; an As-
sortment of cheap Blankets, Flannels,
Bazines and Bombazines; Scotch Plaids,
Tartan and Carlin Plaids; One Bale
4-4 Sheet for only 1s per yard; ano-
ther lot of Bedticking for 1s 6; a very
cheap Lot Furniture China, &c. &c.
Newport, Oct. 18

MILLINERY.

Avis C. Tillinghast,
Informs her Friends, and the Inhabit-
ants of Newport,
THAT she intends to remove Mar-
ket in all its variety, at No. 8,
Church-Street, where she will be happy
to wait on her old friends and the pub-
lic in general.
Newport, Oct. 18. 67

N. E. RUM,

MADE by the Sub-
scriber, and sold at
his Store No. 128, Thames
Street, South of the Mercury
Office.—Together with a general As-
sortment of **GROCERIES**, &c. by
Wholesale and Retail.—Also, Lumber,
Flag and curb Stones on the Wharf.
A few Barrels of first quality Albany
ALE, said by good judges to be superi-
or to any other made in the Union.
40 Barrels Taunton GIN.
Retailing **MOLASSES**
HENRY BULL.
Newport, April 19.

**Rhode-Island and New-
York Steam-Boats,**

THIS line is now arranged as fol-
lows, and will continue until fur-
ther notice:—
From Providence.
The *Fulton* Capt. Cornswock, will de-
part every Tuesday, at 7 o'clock P. M.
and leave Newport at an early hour on
Wednesday; and the *Connecticut*, Cap-
t. Bunker, every Friday, at 7 o'clock P.
M. leaving Newport at an early hour
on Saturday morning.
From New-York.
The *Connecticut*, Capt. Bunker, will
depart every Wednesday, at 8 o'clock
P. M.; and the *Fulton*, Capt. Cornswock
every Saturday, at 8 o'clock, P. M.

The Passengers who wish to go
in the Boat to New-York, from New-
port, are required to come on board as
soon as the Boats arrive at Newport
from Providence.—Notice of which will
be left at Mr. Townsend's.
October 17, 1823

PORTRAIT PAINTING

THE Public are respectfully in-
formed, that **H. C. PRATT**
has taken a Room at Mr. J. Bannan's,
No. 185, Thames-Street, near the
Brick-Market, where he will Paint a
few **PORTRAITS**, if application is
made immediately.
Newport, Oct. 11.

Groceries.

STEPHEN CAROONE,
No. 118, Thames-Street.
Has for Sale, at Wholesale and
Retail,
A GENERAL Assortment of **GRO-
CERIES**, of excellent qualities,
and reduced prices; among which is a
lot of superior Havana Brown Sugars,
for family use.
Also, Just received direct from the
Manufacture, a quantity of Scotch
Snuff, in bladders of various sizes;—
Maccaboy Do. in jars and half-pound
bottles—not only much cheaper than
any in market, but warranted as good.
Newport, May 24.

GROCERIES,

EDWARD PHILLIPS,
Has for sale at No. 107 Thames
Street, at wholesale and retail.

H. YOUNG,
H. Young Hyson
Hyson-Kin and
Souchong
Havana White and Brown SUGAR;
Loaf ditto.—Coffee;
Cognac Brandy
Holland and Country Gin
St. Croix Rum
London particular Madeira, Teneriff
Lisbon, Malaga, Malaga Sher;
and Colmaner WINEs.
Fresh keg and box Raisins; Currant
Lorillard's Scotch Maccaboy and
Rappee SNUFF.
Keg and Paper Tobacco.
Spanish Cigars; Doan's Soap;
Pimento, Pepper, Cassia, Nutmeg,
Ginger Cloves, Mace, Starb,
Chocolate, sweet Oil, basket Salt, &c.
Newport, Dec. 14.

S. & D. BOWEN
Have for Sale, at their Store on
Stevens' Wharf,

6000 Gallons Whale OIL.
30 Hhds. first quality Molasses
100 Barrels Boston Bef
100 boxes Tallow Candles
150 do. Sperm Do.
150 bbls. Wilmington Tar
50 do. Rosin
150 M. Cedar Shingles
20 casks Rice; 3000 wt. old copper
Bar Iron, Anchors, Duck & Cordage
With a general Assortment of
Ship-Chandlery & Groceries
Newport, June 21.

FOR SALE, or TO LET,

THE Estate on Thames-
Street, formerly the re-
sidence of Gov. Manton—
being divided by entries
through the middle, and having two
front entrances, and separate kitchens
and cellars, it would accommodate two
separate families with 7 or 8 convenient
rooms each, besides 4 plastered rooms
in the garret.—It has a good Garden, and
the lot extends to the Harbor. The
House has lately been thoroughly re-
paired, and is perfectly sound.—It may
be purchased at a low price, and pay-
ment may be made in 5 or more (if re-
quired) yearly instalments; security
upon the Estate would be accepted for
all except the first payment.—The
same Estate is offered to b. Let.
B. HAZARD.
Newport, Oct. 11

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber having been ap-
pointed executor of the last Will
and Testament of
GEORGE TENNANT,
late of North Kingstown, deceased, and
having accepted said trust, requests all
who have demands against said Estate,
to present them for payment; and all
who are indebted to said Estate, to make
immediate payment to
NATHANIEL SWEET, Executor.
Newport, Oct. 17, 1823. 67

NOTICE.

DEPARTED from the Ship *Ara-*
gon, a seaman named **WILLIAM**
TES, about 5 feet 6 inches high,
light complexion.—All persons are re-
quested to inform of finding him on ac-
count of the Ship, as no debt of his
outstanding will be paid.
J. EARL, Master.
Newport, Oct. 4.

BY THE MAIL.

PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, OCT. 29.

Expedition of Major Long.

THE exploring expedition conducted by Major Long, of the U. S. Army, took its departure from Philadelphia on the 20th of April last, with the view of traveling the American territory in a northwesterly direction, and returning by way of the great northern lakes. The gentlemen composing the expedition accordingly proceeded by way of ice-bergs, Fort Wayne, Chicago, Prairie du Chien, and Fort St. Anthony, to the source of the river St. Peter. They then travelled down the valley of the Red River, to its junction with the Assiniboine, having ascertained, agreeably to their instructions, the point at which the forty-ninth degree of north latitude, the northern boundary of the United States crosses that river. By this it appears that a considerable portion of the country occupied by the late Lord Selkirk, or that part of it called the Pembina settlements, is included within the territory of the United States. The journey thus far was performed by land, the party being furnished with a sufficient number of horses for the transportation of their baggage, and other uses.

At this place the expedition embarked on board of bark canoes, in which they descended Red River to its mouth, crossed the southern extremity of Lake Winnepeg, ascended the Winnipeg river, proceeded through the Lake of the Woods, Rainy river, and Lake Superior. Here they exchanged their canoes for a bateau, in which they traveled the lake to its outlet. During their voyage through the lake, from the 15th to the 30th of September, the weather was exceedingly boisterous, snow squalls having occurred daily for nine days in succession. On the night of the twentieth of September, the snow fell more than three inches deep, and the ground remained covered with it through the following day.

They pursued their voyage to Mackinac in the same craft, and there left Lieutenant Scott and Denny, and the guard detailed at Fort St. Anthony for the services of the expedition, with orders to rejoin their regiment on the Mississippi.

They then sailed for Detroit on board the revenue cutter A. J. Dallas, where they embarked on board the steamboat Superior, and landed at Buffalo.

Pursuing their journey homeward, they took their passage on board one of the New-York canal packet boats at Rochester on the Genesee river and travelled on the canal to Albany, whence they took the customary route to this place.

From Gibraltar.

Extract of a letter from an American gentleman to his friend in Philadelphia, dated Gibraltar, Sept. 12, 1833.

Your nephew arrived safely in Cadiz, two days after leaving this. I have a letter from him, dated the 6th inst.—Mr. Robert Wilson was not then employed—he says that the Spaniards were much chagrined at the loss of the Trocadero, it was taken by surprise at two in the morning, with a trifling loss to the French. The Spaniards lost about 800 prisoners, and 50 pieces of cannon, most of them moulded.

Gen. Otta, the commanding Gen. at Cadiz had returned from a conference with the Duke of Angoulême, while he was writing. He had asked for a suspension of hostilities, and proposed treating, but the Duke refused, unless the King was set at liberty, and the Isle put in possession of the French. These ignominious terms were rejected.

There was a general meeting of the Cortes on the 7th inst. when the above terms were laid before them—the result is not known. The French are very active and anxious to effect the reduction of Cadiz before the rainy season commences; should they not succeed, it is probable the place will hold out till next year. We may expect the first rains early in October, perhaps before. Should the French fail before Cadiz they will probably consent to negotiate under the mediation of England. Sir W. A. Court is still here; report says he is to proceed to Cadiz very soon to commence negotiations; let the result be what it may—restoration of the King to his absolute authority—a representative government under the guarantee to England—on a confirmation of the present Constitution; there will be no peace in Spain; the civil war has been lighted up and will continue for a long time; bitter animosities have been engendered which nothing but blood can allay.

NEW-YORK.

NEW-YORK, OCT. 28.

From Vera Cruz & Havana.

The U. S. ship of war HUNTER, Capt. Smith, arrived at this port on Saturday from Vera Cruz and 13 days from Havana. Left the former port Sept. 24th at which time all the vessels were ordered to leave the harbor. Hostilities were momentarily expected to break out between the town and the Spanish garrison in the Castle of St.

Juan, the forts in the city to commence the fire, with a hope of reducing the castle to submission. All the old Spaniards of the city, had fled into the castle.

The HUNTER touched at Sinal Aug. 14th and found the place, and all the coast was governed by the Patriots, and heard of no pirates in that quarter.

Left at Havana, the U. S. sloop, JACKALL, and Greyhound, just arrived from a cruise off Cape Catoche, all well on board. The Greyhound, Captain Gregory, sailed 11th inst. on a cruise in the Gulf of Mexico—her crew all well. The Porpoise, Lt. Ramage, sailed in co. for Key West, and carried Dr. Williamson, (from the HUNTER,) and refreshments for that establishment.

The HUNTER has on board specie for sundry merchants of this city and Philadelphia. Passenger, Mr. FAYLON, U. S. Consul at Vera Cruz.

We are favored with Vera Cruz and Havana papers, the former to the 23d ult. and the latter to the 13th inst.

A letter received at Havana, dated Sept. 22, at the Castle of St. Juan, states as follows:

It is now 8 days since hostilities have been on the point of breaking out. The Mexicans, (as before stated) wanted to take possession of the Island of Sacrificos. They had sent two gun boats from Alvarado, and were constructing a battery at Macambo, which commands that anchorage. We immediately directed the occupation of the island by 10 men and a small cannon, who got there before the gun boats, and hoisted our flag. At the same time a flag was sent to the Governor of Vera Cruz to inform him that the Island was occupied by our troops, and that any insult offered to our flag by the gun boats, would be considered an act of hostility. The governor replied, he acted by orders from his government, and should proceed in the execution of his design; but in consequence of the representations of the people, in the afternoon he sent a flag to state that the gun boats should not approach; and it was agreed to await the arrival of further instructions from Mexico and Gen. Victoria. But on the 18th, at noon, in consequence of an order from Gen. V. they cut off the communication with the castle, and reduced us to live on salt provisions. This aggression, again alarmed the municipality of the city, and more so, when on the night of the 19th, they began to work at the batteries which are to act against us—they therefore made another representation to Gen. Victoria, at Jalapa, but in vain. On the 20th, the commander of this castle, received a letter from the municipality of the city, which merely requested him to remain quiet, as the works they were making in the town were merely for its defence. Our commander, replied, that such a proceeding was singular, and told the municipality they were not at liberty which was the fact. Several persons had fled from town in consequence of the violence of the populace, who cried out "Kill the Europeans"—and wanted the governor to attack the castle immediately.

In the night of the 20th, a flag arrived, with a letter from the municipality, saying that their efforts to preserve peace had not succeeded, and another from Villa Urdinola, confessing that he had been obliged to yield to the wishes of the people and the troops.

In this situation, we have no alternative but our guns, on which we rely with confidence. The Mexicans think, that in consequence of the situation of Spain, and the distances at Havana, we can derive no assistance from our government, and are bent on putting us down. They do not reflect on the consequence of a contest which will deprive them of their port, at which they derive a revenue of \$200,000.

Sept. 23.—This morning, all the vessels had orders to leave the harbor, and to day a flag has come in from the municipality, with a promise that they will discontinue the works, and Villa Urdinola, now at night, who had promised the same thing, says he will go on with them, and has determined on an appeal to arms. Upon them therefore must fall the odium of the evils that are about to come upon Vera Cruz.

It is now eleven at night, and our troops, owing to fatigue, have not been able to complete the works, which will be finished to-morrow morning, when we promise ourselves success.

From Buenos Ayres.

Buenos papers to the 13th of August, have been received and announce that the Legislature of Buenos Ayres has authorized the ratification of the Convention concluded with the Spanish Commissioners on the 4th of July last; and has adopted the project of a law to furnish Spain, in conjunction with Chili, Peru, and the other United Provinces of the River Plate, with the sum of twenty millions of dollars to aid her in her struggle against France. The province of Tucuman has acceded to the convention. The finances of Buenos Ayres are prosperous; a surplus of receipts, to the amount of several hundred thousand dollars having been reported. A Plenipotentiary had been sent from Buenos Ayres to Brazil, to adjust the conflicting claims of the two governments to the Banda Oriental.

The project of the law for the contribution of the twenty millions (which law we have before us) expresses that it is to support "the independence of Spain under the representative system," and that the sum corresponds to that which the French Parliament voted to its government for the purpose of destroying her independence.

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MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston, Oct. 29.

Late from Spain.

The brig *Prudent*, Capt. Ellis, arrived here yesterday in 37 days from Malaga—Capt. Ellis informs, that the French troops left that place in the night about four nights previous to his sailing (the 12th Sept.) it was not known where they had gone. Nothing was known at Malaga respecting Cadiz, as all communication between those places had been cut off. Capt. E. states, that he was in the vicinity of Cadiz for several days in light foggy weather, and heard a continual firing of cannon. Just before the *Prudent* left Malaga, the American Consul gave to Capt. Ellis a paper, of which the following is a copy.

"News has just reached us, that Riego, after giving the French a complete beating in the streets of Jaen, leaving 700 of them dead beside a wounded, proceeded on his march, and was in a place called La Carolina, rapidly marching towards Madrid, and was in expectation of joining with Martin, the Espectador, and but little doubt remains that he is at this moment within a few leagues of the Capital of Spain. The authorities of this place spread a report, two days since that he was captured, but it was merely to deceive the ignorant and keep alive the hopes of the serviles, more properly called the Bandits of Spain.

"If the Government in Cadiz remain firm a very short time longer, the face of affairs in this unhappy country will wear a different aspect, and Europe may have to thank Spain for saving all the Continent from despotism.

"The conduct of Riego while in this place has been reported in the Gibraltar Chronicle in a base and shameful light—false in every respect, and a tissue of lies. He acted like a gallant soldier, and a firm unshaken Patriot; and among all the Generals in Spain he has proved himself capable of acting for his unfortunate country in the true style of the old Romans—Malaga, 20th Sept. 1833."

Gen. Riego, after he left Malaga must have landed near Montilla. The French from Malaga were probably gone in pursuit of him—Jaen is about 80 miles from Malaga. The French left a garrison at Jaen which has probably been captured by Riego.

The Gibraltar accounts mention, that the rear guard of Riego was overtaken at Veliz Malaga. The French have very few troops between Jaen and Madrid.

From St. Lucar.

An arrival at Portland, from St. Lucar (near Cadiz) brings accounts to the 19th of September.—They state that the French attacked the Caño Trocadero, a small Island, used as a Navy Yard, on the 26th of August, but were repulsed with the loss of 1000 men in killed and wounded. It was intended to be given up by the Governor; but the garrison, not only defended the place, but hung up the Governor, without ceremony, as an example to traitors.

Three thousand French troops arrived at St. Lucar, on the 30th of August, from Rota, and quartered on the inhabitants. They are destined for the attack on Cadiz.

The St. Lucar accounts confirm the fall of the Trocadero; but say it was sold to the French for 70,000 dollars.—This, of course, is denied by the French who affirm that it was carried by the valor of the French troops.

The fishing craft of St. Lucar have been all taken by the French, and fitted up for gun boats.

It was reported at St. Lucar, September 16, that Gen. Alvar had yielded to the castle of St. Sebastian, for fear of being shot by Riego. It appears, that Alvar was one of the Commissioners sent from Cadiz to treat with the Duke, in the absence of Riego, he being on the borders of Malaga, and hearing the circumstance, proceed in haste for Cadiz, eluded the French, and arrived in safety and by haranguing the populace on the subject of their liberty, telling them it was disgraceful even to offer any terms, the negotiation was broken off.

It was reported at St. Lucar, that the French made an attack on Cadiz, near St. Petre—the result was, that they had three gun boats sunk, one frigate materially injured, and a number of lives lost.

It was also reported (September 19) that negotiations were renewed; though the Constitutionalists doubted the fact.

Great price of Tobacco.—A single hoghead of tobacco, from the plantation of Mr. Johnson, of Frederick county, Md. was sold in Georgetown on the 23d ult. at the enormous price of Fifty Dollars per hundred weight! Five or six hogheads of a quality somewhat less excellent, sold at an average of about thirty dollars per cwt.

National Intelligencer.

THE HERALD.

Newport,

Saturday, Nov. 1, 1833.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The General Assembly of this State formed a quorum at South-Kingstown, on Tuesday morning last.—ALBERT C. GAZENE, was unanimously elected Speaker, and THOMAS RIVERS, Clerk.

A memorial was presented by Giles Manchester, of Middletown, contesting the election of George Irish and Alanson Peckham, the Representatives from Middletown.—The memorial was referred to a committee, consisting of Messrs. Collins, and four others, to report the facts.—On Thursday, the committee reported in favor of the present members retaining their seats.

Upwards of thirty Petitions were presented, for the release of convicts, or for a mitigation of their punishments.—The petitions were referred to a committee, to examine and report thereon.

The General-Treasurer reported his semi-annual statement of the receipts and expenditures of the State.

The Treasurer also made a report on the state of the Town Fund.

Mr. Burgess reported a bill to authorize the Yearly Meeting of Friends in New-England, to hold in trust, and in their own right, property for benevolent and charitable purposes. The bill limits the sum to \$30,000 annual income.—After a few explanations, the bill passed.

The bill to amend the Act imposing duties on licensed persons, &c. was re-committed to Messrs. C. E. Robbins, Willbur and Bridgman.

An Act to incorporate the Rhode-Island Bible Society, passed without amendment.

Mr. E. R. Potter gave notice, that on Thursday, he should call up his bill to authorize the election of Delegates to a State Convention, to form a Constitution for the State.

Mr. Potter also submitted a motion to repeal the Compensation Bill after the next session,—and to reduce the Jury fees to 50 cents per diem.—The motion was laid on the table.—On Thursday, after a short debate, both these motions were rejected.

Mr. J. B. Wood, of Providence, addressed a memorial to the Speaker, against the recent emission of certain Bills by the Merchants Bank, in Newport.—The subject of the memorial was referred to a Committee of five, one from each county, to report thereon.

A resolution passed both Houses unanimously, instructing our Senators, and requesting our Representatives in Congress, to advocate the adoption by Congress of such further measures as they may deem most proper for the protection of the manufactures and internal industry of the country.

The petition of Cyrus Butler and others, for a new Bank in Providence, with a capital of from \$200,000 to \$1,000,000, was presented by Gen. Carrington, and referred to a committee.

Mr. Hazard offered a resolution respecting counterfeit notes, which was laid on the table.

Greenwood Reynolds was chosen Sheriff of the county of Bristol, vice George Coggeshall, resigned.

On Wednesday morning, the House proceeded on the trial of private petitions.

FROM GIBRALTAR.

We learn by Capt. Williams, of the ship Seine, that when he left Gibraltar, three vessels from England, with arms, &c. for the Spanish Constitutionalists, were in the harbour, waiting the orders of Sir Robert Wilson, who, it was understood, had gone to Cadiz.

Capt. Williams informs, that the communication between Gibraltar and Cadiz was kept open as at the former dates—that intelligence was received daily from the latter place, and that nothing had occurred of importance since the French took the Trocadero. A letter, dated on the 12th says, "our dates from Cadiz to the 9th, give us to expect that the affairs of Spain will soon be compromised, probably thro' the mediation of England."

Letters from Gibraltar state, that the French lost 1000 men in taking the Trocadero.

A letter from Madeira states, that on the night of the 19th Sept. upwards of twenty persons, considered unfriendly to the present arbitrary government, were taken to prison, and on the following night several others. The new governor, who arrived in August, brought with him 900 soldiers, and has adopted rigid measures.

Tariffs was not surrendered to the French as late as Sept. 18th.

BY THE STEAM-BOAT.

The Connecticut, Capt. Hunter, which left New-York on Wednesday afternoon, owing to the prevalence of easterly winds, did not arrive here until 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

By the Connecticut, we received New-York papers of Wednesday morning and evening, but they contain nothing of interest.

MAINE SUFFERERS.

In consequence of the inclemency of the weather on Sunday last, the contributions at several of the religious societies in this town, for the relief of the sufferers by the late fire in Maine, was postponed to Sunday afternoon next.

COM. PORTER.

Commodore Porter, in the Sea-Gull, has arrived at Washington City.—The Commodore is as well as could be expected after his serious illness; his officers and crew are well.

Commodores Hull and Porter, had an interview at Norfolk, on the arrival of the latter in the Sea Gull. The accidental meeting, (says the Norfolk Beacon) of these distinguished officers, must have been mutually gratifying—one just returning, and the other on the eve of departure, on a long cruise, from his native land.

SICKNESS AT KEY WEST.

By a private letter to a gentleman in Philadelphia, from Havana, dated Oct. 9th, we learn, that the latest advices from Key West, brought accounts of the death of Lieut. Rogers, (son of Rev. Dr. Rogers, of Philadelphia,) and two other officers of the Navy, and that sixty seamen were then down with sickness. Thirty-three officers had died of the prevailing fever.

New Post-Office Regulation.

A new arrangement has been made by the Post-Master General, for the collection of newspaper postage. Publishers of newspapers are thereby requested to furnish a quarterly account, under oath, of all the papers which they send by mail. The Post-master General states in his circular, that a compliance with this regulation on the part of the printers, will make an addition of fifty thousand dollars to the post-office revenue.

The Board of Commissioners for deciding on claims arising under the Treaty of Ghent, for captured property, slaves, &c. carried away after the conclusion of peace, met at Washington on the 20th ult.; present both the Commissioners and Arbitrators, the Secretary, &c.

A Pope in America.—The Colombian Star states, that at the request of a deputation from South-America, the late Pope of Rome appointed Monsignor Muzzi to be Apostolic Vicar in the new world. He is to be clothed with extensive powers, and to be a kind of substitute for the Pope's own authority in governing the church in America. The holy father "deplores the error of the insurgents who condemn the authority of the mother country," but, "desirous not to jeopardize the eternal salvation of so many christians," he has granted their petition for the appointment of a Patriarch.

Darkness at noon-day.—The N. Y. Statesman of Saturday evening last, says,—"Between 11 and 12 o'clock to-day, this city was visited by a violent storm of thunder and lightning, during which the rain fell in torrents, intermingled with hail. The heavens were shrouded in darkness, and for an hour the scene was truly sublime.—The streets wore the gloom and obscurity of twilight, and lights were as necessary in houses and shops, as they are in the evening."

Early Snow.—The Albany and Troy papers state, that on Saturday last, it snowed all day, so that the fields were whitened with winter's miniature.—Near Albany, the snow was ten inches deep.

The health of Mr. Clay, respecting which much solicitude has been felt, is considerably improved, and promises soon to be completely re-established.

Sixteen convicts in the Massachusetts State Prison were baptised on the 19th ult. by the Rev. Mr. Collier.

John M'Lean, Esq. who recently deceased in Boston, made the Massachusetts General Hospital his residuary legatee after the payment of certain specified legacies, which it is calculated will leave a sum of more than one hundred thousand dollars, of which the Hospital will come into possession immediately on the settlement of the estate. Besides the bequest, fifty thousand dollars are given, one half to the Hospital and the other to Harvard University, on the decease of the individual for whose use it is in trust for life.

SECRETARY OF THE NAVY.

Mr. Southard, Secretary of the Navy, who is on a visit to his family in New Jersey, has been very much indisposed, but is convalescent, and will return to Washington, as soon as he is able to attend to business.

A Natchez paper of Sept. 27th, contains a list of deaths at that place to the 27th Sept. and calculates that there have been 300 deaths out of a population of three thousand.

MR. CRAWFORD.

The National Intelligence states, that accounts were received at Washington on the 23d ult. from Harrisville, that Mr. Crawford was rapidly recovering his health.

Charles Thompson.

CHARLES THOMPSON, the venerable and the good, yet lives—the following account of him, from the Berks and Schuylkill Journal, will not fail to interest every American heart:

A gentleman from the west, who has long cherished a high regard for the character of that irreproachable patriot and Christian, the late Secretary of the American continental congress, had, a few weeks since, no small gratification in spending several hours with this venerable saint of patriarchal aspect, now on the verge of heaven. Many are still living, who well remember with what confidence every act of the old congress, to which his name was attached, was at once received by the people of the United States in times of peculiar trial.

He is about six feet in height, remarkably erect in his gait, neat in his person, dignified in his deportment, interesting in his conversation, and has outlived nearly all his contemporaries, being in his ninety-second year.

He resides about ten miles from Philadelphia, in an ancient and retired, but spacious mansion, a very extensive and well cultivated farm, to which he has given the name of Harrison.

The traveller called early in the day, and found Mr. Thompson reading Young's Night Thoughts. He paused awhile after entering the door, before he discovered himself, being surprised and charmed at the distinct, audible, emphatic, appropriate and feeling manner with which the good old man pronounced one of the finest passages in that admired author.

After a due introduction, Mr. Thompson made the following remark in reference to what he had just read: "I am a stranger in a strange land: I am looking about me to see what I am, and what there is for me to do."

The traveller was much pleased with this miscellaneous observations, interspersed as they were, with anecdotes of former times. He was surprised to hear him at his advanced age, speak with so much intelligence on various subjects, political, religious and political; yet, occasionally, he noticed signs of a second childhood.

It appears that he was the third son of John Thompson, and that he was born in the county of Derry, Ireland, in the town of Glenties, and parish of Mahanaw, in the first week of November, 1731, but the particular day cannot be specified. He came to America, with his father, when about ten years old, accompanied with his brothers. His father died on board the ship in which they were passengers, after entering the Cape of the Delaware, and by an act of justice, his property of considerable amount, was withheld from his sons, when in their minority, in a foreign country, without friend, without friends, without money left to follow the leadings of Divine Providence; yet they duly experienced the protecting care of Him who is the father of the fatherless.—Charles had a great taste for learning, and was so fortunate as to secure the patronage and instruction of that distinguished scholar, Dr. Allison, and became one of the greatest proficients in Latin, Greek and French, in the country.

The longevity of his family is worthy notice. Taking the children of John Thompson, in regular order, these are their names, with their respective ages; William, who died at the age of 93; Alexander, who died at the age of 93; Charles, who is now in his 92d year; Matthew, who died at the age of 81; John, who died at the age of 79; and Mary, who is in her 84th year, and makes one of the family of Charles.

Mr. Thompson, in the course of conversation, said it was strongly impressed upon his mind, that he should live until he entered upon his hundredth year. The traveller asked him how he felt under such an impression, and whether he was willing to be so long from his father's house, in this wandering pilgrimage? He promptly replied, "I have no will about it. I have no will about it. I leave it all to my blessed Saviour. He has been a good saviour to me," and the tears of gratitude started into his eyes.

At one time he mentioned, with tenderness and respect, the two worthy ladies who had been his bosom companions in life. He then made this remark: "I have been a happy man. I have always been a happy man—a very happy

man! My family always loved me, and I always loved them!" the tear of affection glistening in his eyes.

At dinner he asked a blessing, with uplifted hands and a solemn and reverential tone of voice, using nothing more nor less than the Lord's prayer. Recollecting his own criticisms and recollections, instead of saying, "lead us not into temptation," he said "bring us not to trial."

He was an intimate and warm friend of the late Dr. Franklin, and agreed with him in every thing except religion. To counteract the delinquent sentiments of this great philosopher, he devoted more attention to the Bible, and, with a critic's eye, than he otherwise would have done. It was his diligent searching of the scriptures, with a view to the conviction of his distinguished competitor, which first led him to contemplate a version of the Septuagint.

The traveller had mentioned to Mr. Thompson a gentleman with whom, many years since, he was well acquainted, general R. A., now of Maryland, who was one of the revolutionary officers, and who had held a department under the order of the old congress. Mr. Thompson recollected him well and, as the traveller took his leave of him, in reference to general A. "tell him I wish him prosperity and happiness, peace with God and peace with the world. Tell him to bear lightly on the world. Money, money, money is the god of this world."

The last sentence he had several times uttered with great emphasis, in the interesting interview, which the traveller will not soon forget.

Action of Slander.

In the Circuit Court of the United States, now sitting in this city Judge Story presiding, the trial of an action of slander, *George S. White vs. George Brinley*, commenced on Friday last, and continued until Wednesday evening.—On Thursday morning the jury returned a verdict of one dollar damages.—The plaintiff was an Episcopalian clergyman, and the defendant is a merchant of this city. The slander alleged, was for calling the plaintiff a reprobate, and also saying that he had challenged the defendant to fight a duel, and for malicious prosecution in complaining of the plaintiff for giving the challenge.—The defendant pleaded not guilty as to calling the plaintiff a reprobate; and justified the other words as being true, and that he was not guilty of malice in prosecuting plaintiff. Counsel for plaintiff James F. Austin, Esq.—For defendant, Hon. William Sullivan. The trial involved several interesting collateral inquiries, and arrested much public attention.

Boston Centinel.

Sickness at Natchez.

A Natchez paper of Sept. 27th, says, "After the lapse of four weeks, we are enabled again to resume the publication of the Mississippi, and we trust that the late fearful disease which has ravaged the city of Natchez, will serve as a full apology for the suspension.—Indeed, it, was utterly impossible to have avoided it, for of five or six journeymen employed, all were taken down with the fever, and three have died. Under these circumstances, we were necessarily compelled to suspend further operations in our business until, returning health enabled the surviving printers to resume their work.

In no preceding year has the mortality been so great. In the years 1817 and 1819, the cases were not either year equal in number to those of the present, nor were they equal in fatality.

For some days past we have had uncommonly cold weather for the season, but we fear not sufficiently so to ensure safety yet to returning inhabitants.

We shall afford weekly information of the state of health in the city, and shall acquaint our fellow citizens at what time it would be prudent to enter their homes.

From Callao.

A letter from Callao, received at Baltimore, states that the Franklin, 74, and her tender, the Peruvian, were in that port on the 26th of June, with the British frigate Aurora. Two French frigates and a corvette, sailed a few days previous, no one knew where as their destination was kept secret. On the 10th July, Gen. Sucre, the Colombian commander in chief, embarked from Callao, and it was expected important occurrences would soon take place.

"The ship Arab, of Boston, was taken possession of by the Royalists at Pisco. She was chartered by some English Gentlemen at Callao as contractors to the Patriot Army, under a license to trade with the Spaniards. She sold her cargo to great advantage, sent the money down in the long boat, amounting to 75,000 dollars, which was put on board the Aurora frigate. Some intermeddling person informed Gen. Canterac of this circumstance, when he immediately despatched a force and took possession of the Arab. The owner has been to the General's camp with letters from the Commodore, and received the assurance of the General, that the ship should be delivered up, as soon as the cargo was out, and that he had no designs against the ship, knowing her to

be American property, but his object was merely to chastise the contractors. The American captain was treated with the greatest politeness while in the Spanish Camp."

A Letter from Mr. Harrison, Consul at Antigua, states "Several of our vessels have entered this port, having a greater number of Foreigners on board than are permitted by the late act of the British Government, for the opening of the British West-India Colonies, and which says three fourths of the crew shall be citizens or subjects under whose flag the vessel sails. The legality of the Collector has heretofore induced him to overlook this informality; but the law will henceforward be in force against all those coming here, who shall presume to contravene it."

Canals.

Meetings have been held, and others called in the states of Ohio and Virginia, in order to give an impulse to the arrangements for constructing the contemplated canal, which is to open a communication from Ohio to the coast of the government, and facilitate the intercourse between the western states and the Atlantic.

The Editor of the Baltimore Patriot, in his account of the running on the 5th day at the Canton Races, says, "Fatality took the lead."—Some persons are disposed to admit the truth of this saying, in more senses than one, and to apply it to every day of the races.—*Phil. Gazette.*

Remarkable Providence.—The New-Jersey Eagle states, that a female of E. 2 both-Town, in perfect health, was employed the other day to make a shroud for the corpse of a deceased neighbor; she expired directly after it was finished, and was clothed with the shroud of her own make.

MARRIED.

In this town on Tuesday evening last, by the Rev. Mr. Gamwell, Mr. NATANIEL S. ROGERS, to Miss Mary L. PHILLIPS, daughter of the late Capt. James Phillips.

At Tiverton, Mr. Gamwell Taber, of New-Bedford, to Miss Camilla Taber, of Little-Compton.—Mr. Benjamin Shaw to Miss Mary Ann Davenport, of Tiverton.

At New-Haven, Hon. Herman Allen, of Vermont, lately appointed Minister to the Government of Chili, to Miss Elizabeth L. Hart, daughter of Elisha Hart, Esq. of Saybrook, and sister of Mrs. Commodore Hall.

DIED.

In this town on Tuesday last, Mrs. MARY WATSON, wife of Mr. Edward Watson, aged 50 years.

On Monday evening, after a very distressing illness, Miss MARY BAILEY, eldest daughter of Mr. John Bailey, aged 19 years.

At Providence, Mrs. MARY S. LEWIS, wife of Mr. Benjamin Lewis, aged 38 years.—Mr. RUFUS FRANCE, aged 69 years.

DIED, on or about the first October, in the 24th year of his age, of the prevailing fever, at Key West, Thompson's Island, Lieutenant STEPHEN M. ROGERS, of the Marine Corps, and only son of the Rev. Dr. Rogers, of Philadelphia.

Lieut. R. was graduated at Brown University, (R. I.) in the year 1816, and was one of the first scholars in his class. Subsequent to this period, he obtained the honours of Nassau Hall, New-Jersey. He was a favourite officer of Commodore Porter, and, with his rich intellectual possessions, had it pleased a beneficent Providence to have protracted his days to a ripe age, he would, doubtless, have exhibited all those qualities which are at once the parent's hope, and his country's glory.

WEEKLY ALMANACK.

1823.	Sun	Sun	High	Moon
November.	rises.	sets.	water.	rises.
1 Saturday,	6 54 5	6 6 24	5 29	
2 Sunday,	6 56 5	4 7 13	sets.	
3 Monday,	6 57 5	3 8 4	5 16	
4 Tuesday,	6 58 5	2 8 56	5 58	
5 Wednesday,	6 59 5	1 9 48	6 46	
6 Thursday,	7 14	59 10 40	7 40	
7 Friday,	7 24	58 11 31	8 38	
New Moon 2d day, 4h. 55 min. in the Afternoon.				



Port of Newport, Nov. 1, 1823.

Entered, Sloop B. D. Jones, Lawton, New-York. Cleared, Brig Panther, Cornell, Charleston. Sch'r Franklin, Gibbs, Georgetown. Sloop Support, Coffin, New-York. Ann Maria, Gardner, New-York. B. D. Jones, Lawton, Providence. Caroline, Sherman, Washington (North-Carolina).

Tuesday, Oct. 28. Arrived, Brig New-York, Carey, 26 days from Fort Royal, (Mart.) bound to Providence.—Left there, schr. News for Bath in 4 days; Armes, do. in 18; Hannah, Crawford, do. called for St. Pierre Oct. 1st.—At St. Pierre Oct. 2d, brig Victory for Middletown in 15 days, and three other American vessels, names not recollected.—At Trinidad island, Sept. 28th, schr. Mercator for Boston, same day; Phenix, Martin, of do. discharging; Patriot, Freeman, do. Princeton Grove, Smith, just arrived; Anson, Arnold, for Middletown.—Oct. 28th, lat 40, long 73, spoke schooner Mexican from Boston, blowing heavy could not learn where bound.

Wednesday, Oct. 29. Arrived, schr. Romeo, Norton, 5 days from Alexandria, with flour.

MARINE MEMORANDA.

Arrived at New-Orleans Sept. 28th, Sloop Niagara, Tanner, from this port; Oct. 2d, brig Union, Gale, from do.

At Havana Oct. 4th, schr. Rennebec Trader, Brooks, just arrived from this port.

Arrived at New York on Monday, Brig Mary, Dunwell, 3 days from this port.—Packet Ann-Marie, Gardner, 19 hours from this port.—The Ann-Marie has made her last seven passages between this port and New-York, in 158 hours, averaging less than 23 hours each.

Arrived at Charleston Oct. 11th Schooner Mary Ann from this port.—12th, Gleaner, Miller, 5 days from this port.

At Camperchy Sept. 24th, Brig Samuel, Barlow, of this port, from New-York.

NEW GOODS.

JAMES HAMMOND

HAS Received his Supply of FALL and WINTER DRY GOODS, viz:—

Pelisse Cloths, Flannels, Caroline Plaids, Blankets, Scotch & Tartan Plaids, Figured Bombazetts, Twil'd & plain Bombazett Bombazines.

Fashionable Prints, &c.

A L S O.

A Few Pieces of CARPETINGS, of handsome patterns, warranted all Wool, and fast colors.

One Case of Irish LINENS, and One do Sea-Island Shirtings.

The above, with a great Variety of INDIA, EUROPEAN and AMERICAN DRY GOODS, are this day opened, and for sale as above.

Newport, Nov. 1.

NEW BOOKS.

JAMES HAMMOND.

Has for Sale,

REGINALD DALTON, by the Author of Valerius, 2 vols.

A Year in Europe, by Griscom, 2 vls Spectre of the Forest, by the author of the Wilderness, 2 vols.

The Maudrauder, 1 vol. Handel's Hady Collection of Sacred Music,

Koningsmarke, the Long Fiune, 2 volumes,

Asiatic, European, American and Polar scenes, 1 vol, each,

ALSO, A variety of new and improved Juvenile Books.

School-Books,

Of all kinds in use in this Town and Vicinity,

Farmer's, Christian & Rhode-Island

ALMANACKS for

1824,

50 Reams Foolscap Paper

50 do. Letter Paper,

100 do. tea & wrapping paper

And a general variety of

BOOKS & STATIONARY.

Newport, Nov. 1.

FOR SALE,

A FARM lying in Woodstock, (Conn) containing Two Hundred Acres of excellent Land, with a new two-story Dwelling-House 30 by 40 feet, completely finished and painted; another Dwelling-House suitable for a tenant; two new barns and other out buildings; a cider mill and a good orchard that will make 100 blhs. of Cider annually.—It is well wooded and watered, and will keep 50 head of cattle the year round; it is within fifty rods of a saw and gill mill, and clothiers works, and conveniently situated near a Meeting and school-house.—Terms of payment made easy to the purchaser. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber living on the premises.

HENRY HOWARD.

Woodstock, (Conn.) Oct. 26.

Auctions.

Administrator's Sale.

THE Subscribers, Administrators on the Estate of Lewis Mounander, will sell at Auction on MONDAY, the 10th day of November next, at 10 o'clock A. M. on the premises, all the right title and interest, which the said Roumaniere at the time of his death had in and unto the premises hereinafter described, viz:—One undivided six: part of a lot of Land with the Store thereon, situated in Spring-street in Newport, bounded northerly on Gridley street, westerly on land of the Harcourt's, southerly on John Casoff's, and easterly on Spring-street, containing about one-quarter of an Acre, more or less; said Sale being necessary for the payment of the debts of said Roumaniere, and the Court of Probate of the town of Newport, having certified the same agreeably to law.

WM ENNIS, R. K. RANDOLPH, } Adms. Newport, Oct. 8. 1823.

Cheap Blue Broadcloths

ROBERT P. LEE

Has Just Received,

FEW Pieces of BLUE CLOTHS suitable for Overcoats, which are selling off very Cheap, together with a great variety of other New and Seasonable Goods.

A L S O.

Just received from one of the first Factories in the State, a full supply of superior White and Coloured KATTING COFFON, 2 and 3 threaded from No. 6 to 40.

Newport, Nov. 1.

Marine Ins. Company,

At a Meeting of the Directors of the Marine Insurance Company, on Monday Oct. 27th, 1823.—Voted, That the payment of the Insurance Notes, falling due the 1st of November next, be and are hereby further suspended until the 1st of Nov. 1824, and all new notes with the same, or other approved endorsers, be received for the same.

B. B. HOWLAND, Sec'y. Newport, Oct. 30.

TO LET.

And immediate possession given, THAT convenient and pleasantly situated Dwelling-House in Spring-street, near County-Church, and lately occupied by Mrs. Johnston.—The House is in good repair, with a large Garden, and has every convenience for a family.—For terms, &c. apply to JOHN P. MANN. Newport, Nov. 1.

TO LET,

And possession given the 25th of March, THE FARM on the Island of Conanicut, now occupied by Mr. George Knowles, containing 273 Acres of good Land, being the north part of the Beaver-tail Estate.—For further particulars and terms, apply to AUDLEY CLARKE. Newport, Nov. 1.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE Concern heretofore existing at WILMINGTON, N. C. under the Firm of COGGE-HALL & MUMFORD, is by mutual consent this day dissolved. TIMOTHY COGGESHALL, BENJAMIN MUMFORD. Newport, Oct. 31. 1823.

Atheneum,

Or, Spirit of the English

Magazines

JUST published, The ATHENEUM; Or, Spirit of the English Magazines, for Nov. 1, 1823.

Subscriptions for the above in interesting Work, are received by the subscriber, the Agent in Newport.

J. C. SHAW.

Nov. 1, 1823.

NOTICE.

WE the Subscribers having been appointed by the Court of Probate for the town of Newport, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims of the creditors against the Estate of ALBERT W. GARDINER, late of Newport, deceased, represented insolvent, hereby give notice that six months from the date hereof have been allowed the creditors to exhibit their claims, and that we will attend for the purpose of receiving the same at our respective dwellings during said period.

STEPHEN GOULD, DAVID RODMAN, } Commrs. JOHN BROWN,

All persons indebted to said Estate, are required to make immediate payment to

THOMAS H. MUMFORD, Admr.,

Newport, Sept. 1. 1823.

POETRY.

FROM THE BOSTON GAZETTE.

During the entertainment at the Theatre, on Wednesday evening, for the benefit of the sufferers by the late increasing Santa Storm, the following song, written for the occasion, was sung by Mrs. Williamson.

SONG.

Alas! Had I a heart for falsehood framed.

THE plume that decks the warrior's brow,
May sweep a world in tears—
And fade, with sunny radiance now,
(How dim in after years.

But thou, bright spirit, Charity!
Shall bloom forever young—
And pale Oppression cling to thee,
Thou loveliest child of song.

The tear that hangs in Famine's eye
Thy power shall wipe away;
The pang that springs from Sorrow's cry,
Thy healing wing shall stay.

And thou, sweet spirit, caught from Heaven!
Shall drop from every tongue—
As zephyrs by the music-wind driven,
In blessings on the young.

And when the dark destroyer's come
To sweep in clouds of fire,
The trembling mother from her home,
Her children and their sire;
Then thou, bright spirit, Charity,
Shall gather round the throng;
And pale Oppression cling to thee,
Thou loveliest child of song.

FROM THE CHARLESTON COURIER.

Reflections at Sea—by Moonlight.

THE setting Moon's transparent ray,
Irradiates the starry west,
And omulutes in parity.
The lovely virgin's tranquil breast.
The wave receives its parting beam,
Reflects it to the skies above,
And bids the youthful bosom teem,
With sympathy and hallowed love.

Hail lovely Moon! how oft thy rays
Have sweetly shone on scenes like this;
Or beaming with a kinder blush,
Have witnessed scenes of softer bliss.
How oft from thy benignant hues,
Thou shir'nest o'er the fragrant vale,
While passion whispers dulcet sighs,
And beauty lists to love's sweet tale.

Perhaps e'en now, thy lucid cheek,
Plays wildly round some lover's head,
Who wanders o'er the midnight plain,
To meet his own devoted maid.
She comes—her rosy features drest
In beaming smiles, and youthful charms;
And while he strains her to his breast,
Forgets the world's destroying harms.

Oh! lovely Moon, still light the plain,
And pierce the branches of the grove,
To show the fond enamoured swain,
I be blessing kind of virgin love.
And let thy kind indulgent beam,
Play brighter round a scene like this,
And shed a pure and lambent glow,
To light the tender soul to bliss.

MISCELLANY.

[From Grison's Year in Europe.]

I left Oxford with regret at being unable to spend more time at a place which contains so much of the splendor of antiquity, and the pomp of learning and the arts, and more than most appeals foreign to an inhabitant of the New World who visits England for the first time, than any other town in the kingdom, except the metropolis.

The country, in this morning's ride, became more interesting, on account of the chalk hills, which, in several places, presented themselves in broken perpendicular masses, exhibiting the chalk, stratified with clay and other substances. The nodular flint is extremely common. The roads are paved with it, and it constitutes, in several places, a material for building. The agricultural taste and skill of the country, simply as it appears to a strange traveller, I do not think at all superior to that which is practised in good farming districts in the United States. I was surprised, in the course of yesterday's ride, to find that the fields of grain and pasture, even on the road side, were entirely without hedges or enclosures of any kind. The flocks of different individuals were separated only by a narrow strip of unfilled ground—Cattle, and other kinds of domestic animals, are, of course, forbidden to run at large on the public highways, as in America. The population increases as we approach the capital, yet there is more waste ground, or common, on this day's road, than on any other which I have passed. We stopped at a inn, and took a cut of cold roast beef of excellent quality—an article of which a good English inn is seldom without a supply. Hereley is rather a great town; I mean in comparison with other English towns; but it excites no

much of the wear and tear of age, to be compared in point of beauty, with our modern American villages. We here crossed the Thames on a fine bridge. This stream, so famous for the mighty deluge with which its shores have for ages surrounded, is here too shallow for any other craft than large boats, and of a width which would entitle it, in New-Jersey, to the appellation of a creek. It is, however, a pretty stream; and the landscape, after we had ascended the hill on the side opposite to Henley, is exceedingly fine. We passed, in succession, through Maidenhead, Brighthelm, Trencham Green, Hammer-smith, and Kensington, and came into London, by the wide and busy entrance of Oxford street. The three last named villages seemed to be little more than a continuation of this street.

The bustle and activity we encountered on entering the metropolis were excessive. Though long accustomed to the busy movements of the busiest city in our own country, I found on this occasion enough of novelty and peculiarity to convince me, had I not known where I was that I was entering a much more populous and wealthy place, than any I had ever seen. The numerous equipages, with splendid liveries, some of which had three footmen standing behind them, dressed in white uniform, with large cocked hats, and each with a staff in his hand; the multiplicity of stage coaches, passing in and out, with passengers on the top as well as within; the trains of hackney coaches moving in all directions; and the crowd on the footwalks, in which so great a variety of costume and figure is discoverable—all contribute to render the first impression which London makes, very impressive on the mind of a stranger. We turned down Bond-street, the James, and drove through Pall Mall, the Strand, Temple Bar, and Fleet street, to Ludgate Hill, and into the court yard of the Bull's Head. I took up my quarters at St. Paul's Coffee-House, immediately facing the yard of the great cathedral, and under the sound of its powerful bell. My first concern was to get a map of the city, and with this to find my way to the residences of those friends whom I wished more immediately to see.

Whatever excitement of imagination a first entrance into London may produce, it is soon found to be a bustling, dark looking city, with narrow dirty streets and high houses, and with far less of cleanliness and comfort, externally, than in either of our principal towns. It requires some effort of resolution, therefore, to prevent curiosity from subsiding into disgust; and from hastening to a conclusion, that there is nothing beyond the most noted public buildings, and exhibitions, that can compensate for much sacrifice of time, or furnish materials for a protracted stay. But a few days of attentive observation are sufficient to dissipate this error. As the great extent of the city, its various customs, its ramified police, its very numerous and diversified institutions, its monuments of art and science and charity, come to be gradually presented to one's notice, it will be found, that month after month may be assiduously employed in researches and enquiries; and that hardly within six months, could a stranger, desirous of availing himself of all the opportunities of studying the human character which London affords, complete his survey of its interesting and almost endless peculiarities.

NOTICE.

AN Instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of *Annie Elizabeth Will, Widow*, late of Newport, deceased, having been presented to this Court for Probate, and the consideration thereof referred to the first Monday in November next.—Notice is hereby given to all persons interested therein, to appear, if they see fit, at a Court of Probate to be holden at the State House in said Newport, on the first Monday of Nov next, at 9 o'clock P. M. to be heard in the premises.
By Order of said Court.
CHARLES GYLES, Probate Clerk.

Portsmouth Woolen Factory,

THE Subscribers respectfully inform their Friends, and the public in general that they have established the Indigo Blue Dyeing, and have employed an experienced workman at colouring and finishing.—Woolen Goods of all descriptions will be finished in the neatest manner and on the most reasonable terms.

Wool of all grades carded into roll in the best manner. They continue to manufacture Wool on shares or by contract as may best suit their employers. The following persons will receive and forward any articles intended for the Union Factory viz.—*Edward Stanhope and Robert R. Francis Carr*, Newport.—*George Lawton Twiston-Jerrard*, Gifford, Bristol Ferry.

The Subscribers return their sincere thanks to their old customers and solicit the continuance of their favors.
JOHN BABCOCK,
MOSES LAWTON
Portsmouth, April 10

Cheap Broadcloths, and Cassimeres.

ISAAC GOULD,

No. 176, Thames-Street,
HAS just received from the New-York Auctions, the following NEW GOODS, which he will sell at very reduced prices for Cash, viz: Broadcloths from 1 to 10 dollars. Cassimeres of various prices. Ladies' Cloths—superior fashionable Vestings; common ditto. Double milled striped Cassimeres. Gentlemen's lambs-wool Shirts and Draw. Silk and Taffy Velvets. Scotch Plaid and Cambric, for cloaks. Red, white and green Fannels. Drab Kerseys and mint Sattinets. Rich gilt Coat and vest Buttons. Beaver Gloves and Suspenders. Also, A Lot of Cotton Shirtings, which will be sold very low by the Piece, for Cash.
Newport, Oct. 4

NICHOLAS GEFROY,

No. 127, Thames-Street,
HAS just bought, and received from New-York, a large and extensive Assortment of GOODS consisting of Cutlery and Hardware. Britannia Tea-Pots, cream and sugar Dishes; plated Castors; Tea Trays shell and horn Combs; brass and plated Candlesticks; brass Andrews shovels and Tonges of the newest pattern; Looking-Glasses and Looking-glass Plates of all sizes; and a variety of other Articles too numerous to mention. These Goods having been principally bought at Auction at a very low rate they will be sold at a moderate advance.—He also keeps as usual Watches; Watch chains, chryseals and keys.—Also, an assortment of Jewellery; Silver table and tea spoons as usual; and gives the true value of Old Gold and Silver agreeably to its quality.
Newport, June 2

Flour, Corn, Staves, Tar, &c.

600 Bbls. Baltimore Howard street FLOUR; 6000 Bushels North-Carolina CORN, weighing 54 lbs per bushel; 100,000 Pipe, Hhd. heading and barrel Staves; 300 bbls. best Murrumbidgee Tar; 25 do. Rosin; 25 do. Pitch; 12 do. bright Varnish;—*Likewise*, Jamaica Rum and Sugar.—All these Articles will be sold at reduced prices.
Newport, June 2

VALUABLE FARM.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale his FARM at the south end of the Island of Providence, containing 630 Acres.—The Dwelling-House is built of brick and stone, of good materials, and is 42 feet square, with a dry cellar under it, with brick partitions.—The other buildings on the Farm are; a good Crib 30 by 25 feet, a Barn 30 by 30, a table, and a Cheese-House; and a good well of water which is never dry, with other conveniences necessary for such a Farm.—Also, Another Dwelling-House on said Farm, with a Barn 40 by 30 feet.—There is plenty of manure on the shores, and the land is good for grass, grain and other produce, and will average annually 3000 bushels grain, and some years has produced 3000 bushels of Corn, besides other grain, and will keep 80 head of cattle, besides sheep and horses.—This Farm is one of the best in the rate, is remarkably pleasant, and fronts the harbor of Newport.—An indisputable title will be given.—For terms apply to the Subscriber on the premises.
DANIEL CHASE
Portsmouth, June 20.

FOR SALE.

THE WHITE-HALL FARM so called, situated in Middletown containing One Hundred Acres of most excellent Land—said Farm is holden by a Lease from Yale College, given originally for 999 Years; the unexpired term of which is 936 Years, subject to an Annual Payment to said College of 140 Dollars.—The lease hold interest in said Farm has been assigned to the Subscribers, by OLIVER WYOMTAN, for the benefit of his Creditors, and will be sold accordingly at Private or Public Sale.—If not disposed of at Private Sale, it will be offered at Public Auction, on the 20th of March next.
DUTEE J. PEARCE, Assignee
JAMES SHAW,
Newport, Sept. 12, 1823.

PAUL M. MUMFORD,

RETURNS thanks for the countenance and encouragement he has received in his late undertaking, and would inform his friends and the public, that his *Evening School* will commence on Monday next, the 6th instant.—He has taught during the summer past reading, writing, arithmetic and English grammar; and the proficiency of his pupils may attest his ability and competence; he knows no other claim to the public patronage.—He will teach in addition the ensuing winter, for the benefit of availing young gentlemen, surveying and Navigation.

West Baptist Society Lottery, 2d class.

SCHEME.

1 Prize of \$2000	is \$2000
3	500
5	300
6	100
10	50
10	30
10	20
500	10
1550	6
	9300

2082 Prizes \$10,000
Deduction 15 per cent.—Net 1000
Blanks ten Prizes—Prizes only to be drawn—Seven days drawing—Drawing will commence Jan. 1st, 1824.

The above is a neat scheme, and worthy attention.—Present price of Tickets, Whole \$3—Halves \$1.50—Quarters 37—Eighths 75 Cents—to be had in a great Variety of Numbers, at the Fortunate Lottery Office of

J. C. SHAW,

Who sold in the last Lottery, One Prize of \$200—Three do of 50—One of 25—Twenty-three of 10—and a very large number of 5 & 6 dollar Prizes.
Classes open for subscription, and all orders promptly obeyed.—and Tickets forwarded, Postage being paid.
Newport, Oct. 25

CHARTS.

Wm. H. Rathbone,

Has just Received and offers for Sale at his Store, Head of Packet Wharf

A NEW CHART, extending from New-York to Havana, improved by Government Surveys in 1820 with a general Assortment of Charts of the latest surveys.—Bowditch's Navigators 8th edition; American Coast Pilots 10th edition; Nautical Almanacs for the years 1822 & 1823; Seamen's Daily Assistant—with a complete assortment of Nautical Instruments.—Letter Writing, Log and Wrapping Paper; quills and Ink-Powder.

Also, A general Assortment of Hardware, Cutlery, Cordage and hip Chandlery.

Just Received, 20 Casks Cut Nails assorted sizes; 30 M Bricks; 30 dozen Tiles.

Cordage and Cables made to order, and Vessels furnished with every article for long and short voyages
Newport, August 10.

To Manufacturers.

THE Subscribers continue to receive and sell on Consignment, in this City, every description of Domestic MANUFACTURES.—Liberal advances made, and the strictest attention paid to the interests of their correspondents.—Address Messrs. J. Dannelly & Co of Providence, or the Subscribers resident in Philadelphia.

LYMAN & BROTHERS,
No. 24, South Front-street
Philadelphia, Sept. 1.

FOR SALE,

A Smart likely Grey MARE, 7 years old, and about 14 hands high—she is perfectly sound, and particularly kind in harness.—Also, A light one-horse Wagon, calculated to carry four persons, built of the best materials and faithful workmanship; the body set on improved springs; the chaise top lets back with double joints, and the back of the forward seat goes with joint hinges, both on double springs and well-stuffed.—For terms, apply to
ROBERT F. LEE
Newport, Oct. 11.

R. I. Clerk's Magazine

THIS new and Valuable Work, being a Collection of Forms adapted to the use of Justices of the Peace, Public Notaries, Sheriffs, Constables, Overseers of the Poor, Courts of Probate, Town-Councils, Executors, Administrators and Military Officers, together with miscellaneous forms, making every man his own conveyancer, conformable to the laws and usages of this State, will be put to press in less than 30 days ready for Subscribers in 60 days.—It will contain 350 pages, well executed and bound at 1 \$0.—As before will be printed, it is expected this work being well composed and arranged under the direction of several gentlemen of the law, will soon be in great demand.—Subscription papers may be found at the Office of the subscriber, who will deliver the Books.
J. C. SHAW.
Newport, August 23

Evening School

THE subscriber will open his Evening school at No. 2, School-street, Next Monday Evening
JOHN RODMAN
Newport, Sept. 27.

Shirtings.

JOHN B. NEWTON,

Has Just Received,

2000 yards bleached and unbleached SHEETINGS, and SHIRTINGS, some extra width, full 1-8 yard wide; some unbleached shirting, for 12 1-2 cents per yard.
A complete Assortment of American, European and India GOODS, suitable for the present and approaching season.

Purchasers, expecting to purchase Cheap, shall not be disappointed if they will call at his Old stand, No. 104, Thames-street. 20
Newport, May 24.

Valuable Real Estate.

To be sold on very reasonable terms, THAT Valuable House, Wharf, Stores, and appurtenances, lately improved and owned by Capt. Thomas Dennis, situated in Washington-street.—Also, The House and Lot in Thames-street, lately improved by Albert W. Gardner, and known by the name of the Read House.—Indisputable titles will be given and all particulars made known by application to T. Dennis, Junr. or to J. C. Shaw.—Also to Let, The North Part of the Phillips House, so called, in Washington-street.
Newport, Sept. 12

NOTICE.

Court of Probate, Little-Compton, Oct. 13, 1823.

AN Instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of STEPHEN BROWNELL, late of Little-Compton, deceased, having been presented to this Court for Probate, and the consideration thereof referred to the second Monday in November next.—Notice is hereby given to all persons interested therein, to appear, if they see fit, at a Court of Probate to be holden at the Town-House in said Little-Compton, on the 2d Monday of November next, at 1 o'clock P. M. to be heard in the premises.

By order of said Court,
R. BROWNELL, Probate Clerk.

NOTICE.

To the Hon. Court of Probate to be holden at Little-Compton, on Monday the 13th day of October inst.—*Hum-bly sheweth*,

The Petition of AMOS TAYLOR, widow of AMOS TAYLOR, late of Little-Compton, deceased, that whereas the said deceased, at the time of his death, was the father of one child, in the helpless state of infancy.—Your Petitioner would respectfully represent that the situation of the said Orphan Child justly claims your deliberative consideration and therefore prays that such allowance be made her from the property of the deceased, as may enable her to bring up and educate said Child in a decent and comfortable manner.—As is duty bound with ever pray, &c.
AMOS TAYLOR.
Little-Compton, Oct. 11, 1823.

Ordered, That the consideration of the foregoing Petition be referred to the second Monday at November next.—Notice is hereby given to all persons interested therein, to appear, if they see fit, at a Court of Probate to be holden at the Town-House in Little-Compton, on the 2d Monday of November next, at 1 o'clock P. M. and they shall be heard.
By Order of said Court,
A. R. BROWNELL, Probate Clerk.

NOTICE.

WE the Subscribers having been appointed by the Court of Probate for the town of Little-Compton, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims against the estate of

MASE TAYLOR,

late of said Little-Compton, deceased, represented insolvent, hereby give notice, that six months from the date hereof are allowed the creditors of said estate to bring in and prove their claims, and that we shall attend for that purpose at the Town-house in said Town, on the 2d Mondays in each month, at 3 o'clock P. M. on each of said days.

A. R. BROWNELL, } Commrs
PARDON BROWNELL, }
WILBER BROWNELL, }
All persons indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to
CLAREN WILBURN, Admr:
Little-Compton, August 11, 1823.

Atheneum, Or, Spirit of the English Magazines

JUST published, The ATHENEUM; Or, Spirit of the English Magazines, for Oct. 18, 1823.

Subscriptions for the store in interesting Work, are received by the subscriber, the Agent in Newport.
J. C. SHAW.

Oct. 18, 1823.